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NUMBER 22

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First-class patronage. The best of the market always served in up-to-date culinary art.
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Ornamental Trees, Small Fruits, Vines, Azaleas, and everything for Ornamental Lawns and Gardens.
Special direct at right prices to the planters and nurseries.
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You can select from Four Hundred combinations of paper.
PRICES 3 Cents and over.
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Harmless, Safe, Reliable.
One Trial Will Convince You.
25c A Bottle.
F. C. DUERSON, AGENT.
This City

For Rent.

A residence on West High street Apply to J. S. Frazier, 10-11 at Exchange Bank.
A full line of Gorham Sterling silverware in stock at J. W. Jones, 21 St.

THANKSGIVING SERMON

At The First Presbyterian Church by Rev. W. J. Bolin, of the Baptist Church.

NIGHT OR MORNING?

(Is. xxi. 12.)

Our is a great country. Great from every point of view. Why there are no autumn leaves like ours, no waterfalls, no rivers, no lakes like ours; no people like our people. No other country has a service like this. While we may be heterogeneous enough in many things there are three times every year in America when we are truly one—touched by a common sorrow or exulting in a common hope. In the springtime while the roses bloom and the for-get-me-nots remind us of the "loved and lost ones," we go out with a common impulse to the "silent cities" where our dear ones await a glorious and blessed resurrection, and cover the green mounds with sweet-scented flowers. Decoration Day is American. I believe in it. In mid-summer when fruits ripen and golden harvests wave, we luxuriate in our sense of freedom, shooting fire crackers and sending up many-headed sky rockets, keeping verdant the memory of our forefathers who secured us this "land of the free and home of the brave." The Fourth of July is American. I believe in it. Once more, in autumn time when the sheaves are garnered and the fruits are gathered, 'till the barns and cellars are nigh unto bursting with fulness, we turn aside from this strenuous life's activities for a quiet hour to count up our mercies and pour out our hearts in grateful thanksgiving to the Author of all our joys. Thanksgiving Day is purely American. I believe in it.

But this hour should not be given to self-glorification. It ought to lead us to a better appreciation of our blessings and furnish warning for our future guidance. Hence it occurs to me that the old prophet's question, "Watchman, what of the night?" may help us find our bearings. And the watchman's response, "The morning cometh, and also the night," may furnish a warning.

1. This is a pertinent inquiry concerning our *Homes*. The importance of home-life cannot be exaggerated. For as is the home so is the church and the nation. Home influence is immortal. England's gracious Queen declared not long ago that she always thinks in Danish—the language of her childhood home. The old mythological story of Theseus and Ariadne beautifully sets forth the true sympathy that should exist between husband and wife. As our homes are kept pure and happy and home life is exalted so the "morning cometh." But if they degenerate into mere "establishments" the darkness of night settles upon us.

2. This question should be asked concerning the condition of our *Workmen*. How the world has advanced in its treatment of wage-earners! In the time of Chas. II. 42c was the price of 14 hours work. In the 18th century \$75.00 a year was a large salary for a laborer. America, the paradise of the workingman, has changed all that. The American tramp fares better than that. True we have our "labor problems," our "strikes" and "lock-outs," but the American out of a job is better off than old-world men are full pay. As our workmen and their organizations shall become more considerate following the Rule which is indeed Golden the "morning cometh." We bless God for

How Do You Know

those baking powders are made from alum?

Their lower price, their unfamiliar names, generally betray them.

But it is not necessary for you to know. You know that Royal does not contain alum, that it makes the best food, that it is pure and healthful. You know that alum powders are unhealthful. This knowledge is sufficient to enable you to protect yourself and your family from alum baking powders and the evil results which are certain to follow their use.

ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO., 100 WILLIAM ST., NEW YORK.

Improved conditions in this line.

3. This is a question for *Capitalists* as well. This is the land and age of money-makers. There are times of great commercial expansion. All the great minds of the race are engaged in money-making. There is not a great statesman, poet, philosopher or preacher left. There are as great intellects as ever in the world but they are turned in other directions. They are engaged in building up dazzling fortunes and gathering vast estates. In the evolution of the race perhaps this is well. For some of our rich men are learning the true use of money. As they learn that wealth is a sacred trust to be wisely held and judiciously used for the enlightenment and advancement of their less fortunate fellows they hasten the morning time. We thank God for our Carnegies and Rockefellers and the thousands of men and women who, if less conspicuous, are no less wisely generous.

4. I should like to address this inquiry to the *Young People* of our country. It was in the century just closed that children were discovered. The world has only lately learned the importance of giving the children a chance. We are in danger of overdoing the matter of kindergarten methods and ruining our children through lack of discipline. As we shall make our boys and girls happy while we develop self help in them and thereby train them for their "days work" so we bring the blessed morning tide.

5. What of our *Ancestors*? I believe in fun. I think God that I am a laughing animal. There is no surer index to character than once pleasures. Tell me what you laugh at and I know you at once. Study the amusements of any country or age and learn its very heart. As we become in this country dippant and frivolous in our pleasures, selfish and brutal in our amusements, so do we sink into stagnation. But keeping our pleasures pure and kindly, wholesome and clean we contribute to the coming day time of the world when "sorrow and sighing shall flee away."

6. Our *Politics* have much to do in the world's redemption. And while there is much to sadden one in the corruption, bribery, speculation, and inefficiency in civic affairs, I rejoice in the progress made towards civic righteousness, and though no political millennium is "visible to the naked eye" yet I was never prouder of my country

Against Foreigners as such we make no objections. But I would have this government ask every Foreigner landing on our shores three questions and upon their answer should depend their admission. First I would ask "Do you believe in the American ballot box?" If he said no I would have him return to old world slavery. I would ask "Do you believe in the little red school house of America?" If he did not believe in our Public School system back to European ignorance he should go. I would ask "Do you believe in the American Sabbath?"—A sabbath which is not a holiday but a holy day. If he did not he should return to his bull fights, and beer gardens on the other side.

Patriotism, if nothing else, should lead Americans to become Christians. Our place as a world power we owe to Christ. Our commercial supremacy is due to our Christianity. Christ in one's heart settles all questions. Cut Jesus Christ in a criminal's heart and you no longer have a criminal to deal with. If we love Him, honor Him, follow Him, show Him forth then the "morning cometh," for He is the Sun of Righteousness.

City Council.

The City Council met in regular session Tuesday night. After disposing of the usual routine business the old Board stepped down and out and Judge A. A. Hazlett took the place of the members who are:

First Ward—C. H. Bryan, M. R. Hainline.
Second Ward—John F. King, T. H. Eastin.

Third Ward—J. E. Bean, Henry Botts.
Fourth Ward—C. K. Oldham, J. E. Henry.

An ordinance was adopted reducing the salary of the Police Judge from \$900 to \$600 a year and increasing the Assessor's salary from \$150 to \$250 a year.

Mr. Eastin made a motion to reduce the salary of the City Attorney from \$900 to \$800 a year. The vote on the motion resulted in a tie. Mayor Baird decided the matter by voting against the motion and it was lost.

The following officers were then elected:

Mayor—George W. Baird.
Police Judge—J. D. Tipton.
City Attorney—W. B. White.
Chief of Police—C. T. Wilson.
Physician—Dr. C. B. Diersen.
Clerk—Thos. D. Jones.

Treasurer—J. O. Greene.
Tax Collector—M. O. Cockrell.
Weigher—J. M. Conroy.
Engineer—W. A. DeHaven.
Warren—Pat. Shannon.
Assessor—J. W. Graves.
Street Commissioner—George Owings.

Policemen—R. F. Mastin, J. W. Tait and D. W. Smith.
Council then adjourned.

The Mayor and Police Judge are elected for a term of four years and the other officials for two years. Their terms begin January 6, 1902.

On account of disability incurred in the Spanish-American war, Woodson H. Twilley, son of Dr. J. B. Twilley, has been granted a pension of \$14 a month.

Notice to Creditors.

All persons holding claims against the estate of Thomas Calk, deceased, are hereby notified to present same, properly proven, to J. Clay Cooper, Master Commissioner of the Montgomery Circuit Court, on or before December 30, 1901, or they will be barred.

JOHN G. WISS, Adm'r., of Thomas Calk, dec'd.

Stoves at Cost.

We have decided to close out our Entire Line of . . .

COOKING STOVES AT COST

If you are in need of a Stove, see our line before you buy and take advantage of Wholesale Price.

Underwear.

We have quite a line of Men's, Ladies' and Children's Underwear, which we also intend to Close Out at Cost, and LESS THAN COST.

Lamps.

Our usual Big Fall Line of Lamps is now completed and on display. We have the Choice Selections from several factories, and at PRICES CHEAPER THAN EVER ranging from 5 cents to \$10.00 each.

Wall Paper.

As usual, we have an immense line of Wall Paper of the Latest Designs. We are Headquarters in this line and can give you anything you want at most any price.

Call and see us as we have some Bargains to offer you.

ENOCH'S Bargain House,

MT. STERLING KY

DR. LANDMAN, BAYMONT HOTEL, THURSDAY, DECEMBER 12th, 1901

WHAT'S THE USE SUFFERING WITH CORNS WHEN A PAIR OF MEN'S EASY SHOES WILL RELIEVE THEM AT ONCE AND CURE THEM ENTIRELY.

LAST ONE \$2.50

Tread-Easy

\$3.50.

For Women.

Heats and Moens made to order. Repairing neatly done.

J. H. BRUNNER.

For Sale.

House and lot on Harrison Ave.

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FOR MT. STERLING.

We have information that our people will be given an opportunity within a few days to take stock in a company that would make Mt. Sterling its place of business. There will not be any ground doors to it and men may be sure that capital and labor will bring the results. Are you ready?

Electric railroads are webbing the country. They will be about us and many of our business men are taking a sensible view of the inevitable, that the roads be invited here and that we work for our interests locating factories enlarging our stores and in every way pressing our interests. It is needless to stand back and object for such a course would only kill our city.

AMEND THE CONSTITUTION.

If our representatives consider the material interests of Kentucky they will take steps towards amending the constitution so that counties may exercise their right to vote aid to railway companies by taking stock, enabling roads to penetrate rich mineral and timber fields of Eastern Kentucky. But for this mistake, hurrying the people against this privilege, by our law makers of ten years ago many of our towns would be cities, the energetic man would be wealthy, churches would be free of debt, our public schools would have no superiors in any of the States and pay rolls would make business continuous and thrifty.

FOR PRISON COMMISSIONER

Mr. John D. Wyatt, of Ewing, editor of the Ewing Enquirer, was in the county last week, leaving for Louisville Monday. Mr. Wyatt is a son of Lemuel Wyatt, who was a son of Hayden Wyatt, deceased, of this county, and is, therefore a Montgomery man. At present while editor, he is also County Judge of Fleming county, by appointment of Governor Beckham. Mr. Wyatt is a candidate before the Legislature for the office of Prison Commissioner. A Montgomery man, a true Democrat, fearless in the discharge of duty, a brother editor who has been faithful as a journalist, unfaltering in the discharge of honest convictions and unrelenting in war against lawlessness we commend him as faithful steward, worthy of the position he seeks.

As a Prison Commissioner he would have a work to perform, and in this he would be unlike the official who is merely in for emoluments. It would be in the interest of the Commonwealth and the Prison that he would labor, throwing about the prisoner such influences that would make him a better man than when he entered prison walls.

Black Cake Ingredients

At Shroot, Robinson & Co.'s. Cakes, raisins, dates, nuts, everything fresh. Come at once.

Rochester Nicklel Ware, Tea and Coffee pots, Baking and Chaffing dishes, Creams and Sugars. The best made, fully guaranteed. CHEMICAL & OREAR, exclusive Agents.

Don't overlook our gardeners, all styles and sizes. CHEMICAL & OREAR.

Toys, Toys, TOYS at T. P. MARTIN & Co's. 22-23

We have the finest line of wagons in the city. 22-23. OLDMAN HARDWARE CO.

For the finest lamps see Ed Mitchell, the Hardware Man.

Berry Howard Caught.

Berry Howard, who, with his relatives, Jim Howard and others, was indicted for complicity in the murder of William Goebel and who has been a fugitive from justice, was arrested by Sheriff Broughton at Pineville Saturday evening. The arrest was a piece of unusual courage. Howard was daring and went about with a heavy body guard but Sheriff determined to retire from office January 1 without any papers unserved was looking for an opportunity when he could get a drop and it came. The sending off of messages pertaining to the arrest was prohibited and at night Sheriff and posse left for Frankfort, but not until an attempt had been made to recover prisoner. It was 10:30 p. m. Prisoner, Sheriff and guard possessed snicker. Three men, one U. S. Marshall, undertook to have train backed into Middleboro, but were outwitted by engineer and conductor and while they threatened the conductor engineer opened wide the throttle, conductor stepped aboard and in a moment train was gone at 40 miles per hour and Howard was safely incarcerated in the Frankfort jail. Howard says he is innocent and had a bond been assured he would have surrendered long ago.

Art Gallery.

To visit our Art Gallery is the delight of hundreds. Come early and secure some of our rare pictures.

THE NOVELTY STORE.

Go to T. P. Martin & Co. for Christmas goods.

Fancy Sticks, Pictures, Ornaments, Mirrors at Kennedy's.

Gents walking canes at Jones'. 21-23

The M. C. Wetmore Tobacco Company, of St. Louis, has passed into the hands of the Continental Tobacco Company.

Skates! Skates! Skates! 22-23. OLDMAN HARDWARE CO.

Geese Wanted!

Will pay 15c apiece for full feathered, good-size geese until Dec. 20, 1901. Will be found at Levy's Clothing Store.

P. H. Davis.

All kinds of Toys at T. P. MARTIN & Co's. 22-23

John W. Jones' stock is complete with fancy articles.

Christmas Gifts.

In our Japanese department are many attractive things. Ask for Japanese goods.

THE NOVELTY STORE.

Elegant stock of Dolls at 22-23. T. P. MARTIN & Co's.

For a nice Souvenir Cup and Saucer, go to Ed. Mitchell.

Salad dishes, all styles and prices. CHEMICAL & OREAR.

Christmas Trees.

Supply your Christmas trees from the NOVELTY STORE.

Go to J. W. Jones, the optician, and have your eyes tested. 40 ly

A good rain fell Sunday night and Monday.

Biggest stock of Toys ever brought to the city at 22-23. T. P. MARTIN & Co's.

Dressed Dolls.

Every little girl must have a doll Christmas. The handsomest show of dolls—all prices—at

THE NOVELTY STORE.

Oldham Hardware Co. have a beautiful line of coal vases. 22-23

Holiday presents in high-class up-to-date goods at Kennedy's.

Cora For Sale.

400 shooks of corn for sale and place to feed. Apply to E. B. QUINNEMER, Ewing, Ky.

For Consumption

Take Lyon's Laxative Syrup. If you don't like it better than any Laxative you have ever used your doctor will refund the money. Price 50c.

Complete lines of holiday goods are on display at Busy Bee Cash Store now. This firm go at things in a wholesale way. The biggest line, most complete and cheap. Come early and get choice.

We have the finest and largest display of pearl pendant and brooches ever in the city. 21-23. J. W. JONES.

Church Treasurer Robbed and Murdered in Lexington.

Saturday night near 12 o'clock, J. N. Hawkins, aged about 43 years, of the firm of Hawkins & Sweeney, dry goods merchants, was robbed and shot in that city. He is Treasurer of the Broadway Christian church and had been detained at his store later than usual balancing his church books. The assassin was made near the Broadway church on Second street as he went home. His wife, alarmed at his absence, notified the police and search was instituted by them and friends. At 3:15 Sunday morning he was found on Second street where he was attacked. He was shot in left eye, the ball passing through the brain, and his skull was fractured in three places. His watch had been taken from the chain, the contents of his pocket book removed, his necktie pulled in two and button holes pulled out, indicating a struggle. He was unconscious when found and continued so until he died Sunday afternoon at 2:30 at St. Joseph's Hospital. Several persons heard the shot. His body had fallen in the shadow of a tree and telephone pole by the curbing. The assassin had not been arrested on yesterday morning.

Say!

We hate to take the time or spend the money—necessary to inform everybody who reads the ADVOCATE of our complete stock of fancy groceries. So we will only tell you what we get in this week. The finest English walnuts, 20c; fine cakes, 4 kinds, 1-lb. each, 25c; small cakes, assorted, 4 lbs. in a nice box, 60c; the only new coffee this season, 61c; a new coffee, "South Sea Blend," 25c; genuine open kettle molasses, 50c; genuine old-fashioned buckwheat flour, 10-lb. sack, 35c, and a complete line of Ralston pure food products. CHILES, THOMPSON GHO. CO.

Crokinole games at Kennedy's.

Up To the People.

A good, honest shoe. One like it in make, stock and fit seldom seen. All our Men's Walkover and King quality \$3.50 and \$4 shoes for \$2.75. Wonderful bargains here.

PUNCH & GATEWOOD.

Our assortment of fancy plates, cups, saucers and many other novelties in French and German are unequalled.

CHEMICAL & OREAR.

Old Fashioned Buckwheat Flour. We have the best made, 10-lb. bags, 35c, and an extra fine triple molasses at \$1.25 per gallon. CHILES, THOMPSON GHO. CO.

Novelties

In sterling silver. See them at The Novelty Store.

Examine our full line of rockers, hall chairs, dining, parlor tables, library tables, divan tables, dressing tables, hall trees, chiffoniers, sideboards, oaks cases, iron beds, dining chairs, bedroom suits, carpets, rugs, etc., etc.

SUTTON & HARRIS.

Fine Florida Oranges. Mr. Prewitt Young is shipping us from his Young orange grove a consignment of the finest oranges that have left Florida this season. Nothing green about Prewitt or his oranges—they are simply ripe and luscious—that is the oranges, and we are going to sell them at \$3.25 per box—25 to 40c a dozen, according to size. Mr. T. G. Julian, who packed this fruit, assures us that it will be "a revelation to lovers of the Florida product." CHILES, THOMPSON GHO. CO.

It's a Pleasure

to see so many happy, satisfied customers coming back to see us every day. Visitors who only "want to look around" are just as welcome—we like to show them around. We always part as warm friends. We'd like to see you in our store this week.

FRED J. HEINTZ

Manufacturing Jeweler, 135 E. Main Street, LEXINGTON, KY.

South Carolina Interstate and West Indian Exposition.

The above Exposition, one of the greatest ever held in the South, will open December 1, 1901, and continue until June 1, 1902. Very attractive rates have been arranged from all points to Charleston, and the schedules via the Southern Railway, with its own rails the entire distance, are particularly convenient; and any agent of that line will give full information upon application.

GEORGE B. ALLEN, Asst. Gen. Pass. Agt., St. Louis, Mo.

Do not fail to examine our line of goods before you purchase your Christmas presents.

SUTTON & HARRIS.

J. W. Jones is headquarters for holiday goods. 21-23

SELLING OUT AT COST!

The Old Established Dry Goods Department Store Winchester, Ky.

Everything—Dress Goods, General Dry Goods and Notions, Wraps, Furs, Women's and Children's Shoes, Hosiery, Underwear, Carpets, House Furnishings, etc. Bedding, etc. at exact COST.

The Stock and Fixtures with a 5-year lease on the best paying and biggest store in Eastern Kentucky. Will be sold to anyone desiring to continue the business.

It's a Most Magnificent Opportunity.

WM. LANSBURG & SON, Winchester, Ky.

Yes, We Can Please You!

Our goods are of latest styles, and all are guaranteed. See our CLUSTER RINGS in pearls and diamonds, and other popular styles.

OUR HOLIDAY NOVELTIES:

Watches, Brooches, and many other useful and beautiful articles.

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50 cent Pileed Underwear, shirts and drawers	17 cents
\$1.00 Shirts and Drawers	25 cents
\$1.00 Wright's Health Shirts and Drawers	70 cents
75 cent White Unlaundried Shirts	70 cents
50 cent Men's Gloves	38 cents
75 cent Men's Gloves	37 cents
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Children's Reefers

\$2 50 Reefers	\$1 50
3 50 Reefers	2 25
5 00 Reefers	3 50

Men's Suits

\$5 00 Men's Suits	\$2 50
7 50 Men's Suits	3 40
10 00 Men's Suits	3 40
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15 00 Men's Suits	10 00

Newburgh Corduroy

\$3 00 Pants	\$2 35
4 00 Pants	2 75
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Men's Overcoats

\$6 00 Overcoats	\$3 75
8 00 Overcoats	5 40
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12 50 Overcoats	8 40
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Children's Knee Pants Suits

\$1 50 Suits	\$0 75
2 00 Suits	1 40
3 00 Suits	2 24
4 00 Suits	2 48
5 00 Suits	3 50

Boys' Long Pants Suits

\$5 00 Suits	2 50	\$7 50 Suits	\$4 40
10 00 Suits	6 40	12 50 Suits	8 40
15 00 Suits	10 00		

Men's Shoes

\$1 75 Shoes	\$1 15	\$2 00 Shoes	\$1 48
3 00 Shoes	2 25	3 50 Shoes	2 74
5 00 Shoes	3 75	6 00	4 40

Men's Boots

\$1.75 Boots, \$1.15; \$2 Boots, \$1.48.

Ringold's Shop-Made Boots

\$4.50 Box Toe, \$3.75; \$4.25 Plain Toe, \$3.00.

Boys' Knee Pants

10c Pants, 19c; 7c Pants, 8c; \$1 Corduroy Pants, 7c; \$1.50 Corduroy Pants, \$1.15.

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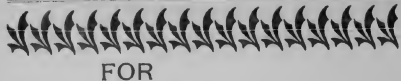
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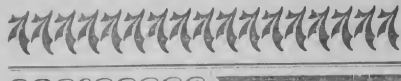
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Of the two evils the optimist chooses neither, the pessimist chooses both.

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The City of Pekin has only one street lamp.

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No man who makes a practice of kissing babies can be wholly unpopular.

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How John W. Ross Came to His Death—His Funeral.

From the Liberty Tribune of November 20, published at Liberty, Mo., we take the following:

The funeral of John W. Ross, who died at Smithville in the injuries received in a runaway, was held there last Sunday morning at 10 o'clock, conducted by

Eld. P. V. Loos, in the Christian church, of which the deceased was a member. The remains were placed here and interred in the New cemetery. There was a large crowd at the cemetery. A large number of Old Fellows and Woodmen accompanied the remains here and the interment was with honors of the two orders. Elder Loos made a brief talk at the grave and paid a high tribute to the noble qualities of the deceased.

Mr. Ross was 49 years of age. November 10. He was born in Fleming county, Ky., and has two brothers and one sister living. He came here from Mt. Sterling, Ky., seven years ago. About two years later he went to Smithville and had been manager of a hardware store there for W. R. Leach, of Kenney. The store has had a large business.

In the accident that cost Mr. Ross his life, Clay Berry, the driver of the wagonette, was unable to control the frightened horse after a line broke. He jumped also. The last words Mr. Ross said were to his wife, telling her to jump for her life, as he held her arm and assisted her as best he might. Mr. Ross was badly stunned by striking the ground, and when she regained consciousness no one had found them. She saw her husband lying on the ground, and endeavored to lift him. He was breathing heavily. Friends soon arrived. It was about 8:30 at night. Mr. Ross was unconscious to his death.

John Ross was a man who found delight in doing things for the happiness of others, and was a very devoted and kind husband. He, in return, was blessed with a true and loving wife, and she had the sympathy of all in her great sorrow. Mrs. Ross will make her home here with her sister, Mrs. Homer Black.

Summer Coon.

Cracker Jack

Now as we have our water works about completed in Mt. Sterling we are prepared to squirt water in all kinds of shapes and quantities through out the city why not turn our attention to the street car business. We all know we are short of rolling stock in our city. Water works and street rail ways is the main thing to start a town on a boom. I was talking to Mr. George Smith of win street on the subject a few days ago and he seemed so much in favor of it, Jim Tipton says he would be one of the first to vote for a line if it were to start from the depot and go to win street. He says George "would leave out the city every day if their was street cars passing on the



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An Ordinance

Repealing an Ordinance by which the office of Tax Collector and Treasurer of the City of Mt. Sterling are consolidated.

Be it ordained that the ordinance entitled an Ordinance consolidating the offices of Treasurer and Collector of the City of Mt. Sterling, Ky., and approved April 8, 1900, be and the same is hereby repealed.

This ordinance shall take effect from and after its passage and publication as required by law.

GEO. W. BAIRD, Mayor,
Attest: THOS. D. JONES, City Clerk.

AN ORDINANCE

Fixing the salaries of the Police Judge and Assessor of the City of Mt. Sterling, Ky.

Be it ordained by the Mayor and Board of Council of the City of Mt. Sterling, Ky., that the salary of the Police Judge of said City shall be \$800 per annum, payable in monthly installments out of the treasury of said City. That the salary of the Assessor of said City shall be \$250 per annum, payable each year after the completion of his duties as such officer.

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December 3, 1901.

Where 'Tis?

Now that we have water works and it has been seen that they work to perfection, why not have some system of fire fighting? A person hearing the alarm as it is now never knows where the fire is. The writer stood in his yard Tuesday night until he was almost frozen trying to locate the fire. For instance a colored man was running out the Levee pike with half a dozen dogs and children, mixed, following him. Deputy Sheriff Jones, rushing madly up, stepped on the fire. Stephen was rushing frantically around from "corner to corner," anxiously asked "where 'tis," while several people were on the top of a house nearly flying about in the air. A person looking in different directions yelling "yonder 'tis."

We finally saw a light and got started and turned the wrong corner when we got pretty near the Grassy Lock pike we heard a man say the fire was out. If you run to the engine house, the chances are they have gone or are in the same fix as the above mentioned people. It is true we have no fire boxes, but until we do get them why not ring the number of the Ward?

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Some Old Relics.

Col. John Cunningham, one of the "Noble Old Romans," of Bourbon county, has at his country home, "Rosedale," near Escondido, a beautifully carved hardwood flax spinning wheel which has descended to him from its original owners of ninety years ago. The wheel was made by the great grandfather of John Cunningham, ex-Chief Justice of the Court of Appeals, for Miss Mary Bean, then fifteen years of age. Miss Bean afterwards became the wife of Senator John Cunningham, the present possessor of the wheel. Another interesting relic of the olden days is a clock made by Thomas and B. B. Marsh, of Paris, in 1838, and now owned by Mr. S. B. Ewalt, of Paris. It prizes the old time-piece very highly. It is nine feet in height, keeps the moon's phases and the day of the month correctly. The clock had never been moved from the old Ewalt farm until recently and had not been wound since the death of Mr. Ewalt's father, which occurred in 1878. A local jeweler went out to the farm, brought the clock to town and cleaned and repaired it. Since then it has kept time remarkably well. Every part of the venerable old time keeper was used by hand.—Paris, (Ky.) News.

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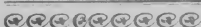
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Satisfied People are the best advertisers for Foley's Honey and Tar and all who use it agree that it is a splendid remedy for coughs, colds or sore lungs.

Sold by **F. C. Duerson**

It isn't the athlete whose photographs are well exposed.

For family use in numberless ways Ballard's Snow Liniment is a useful and valuable remedy. Price, 25 and 50 cents. Thos. Kennedy.

Editor Lynch of "Daily Post," Philadelphia, N. J., has tested the merits of Foley's Honey and Tar with this result: "I have used a great many patent remedies in my family for coughs and colds, and I can honestly say your Honey and Tar is the best thing I have ever used. I have ever used and I cannot say too much in praise of it."

F. C. Duerson, druggist.

You can't expect the world have a good opinion of you until you set the example.

To Stop a Cold.

After exposure or when you feel a cold coming on, take a dose of Foley's Honey and Tar. It never fails to stop a cold if taken in time.

F. C. Duerson, druggist.

No man believes that he is fully appreciated.

Disease and danger lurk in the vital organs. The blood becomes vitiated and the general health is undermined whenever the stomach and liver fail to perform their functions as nature intended. Regulate the liver, where all our contaminations only relieve. Price, 50 cents. Thos. Kennedy.

Some fellows' only idea of a good time is to have a headache the next morning.

Information Wanted.

The manufacturers of Bannan Salve have always believed that no doctor or medicine can cure in every case, but never having heard where Bannan Salve failed to cure, cures, sores, letter, eczema, or piles, as a matter of civility would like to know if there are such cases. If so they will gladly refund the money.

Sold by **F. C. Duerson**

Of the two evils the optimist chooses neither, the pessimist chooses both.

Praise the bridge that carries you over either a flood or cough. Ballard's Horsehold Syrup has brought so many over throat and lung troubles, such as coughs, colds, bronchitis, etc., that its praises are sung everywhere. Price, 25 and 50 cents. Thos. Kennedy.

The only people who are not true with advice are lawyers and doctors.

Chas. Replogle, Atwater, O., was in very bad shape. He says: "I suffered a great deal with my kidneys and was requested to try Foley's Kidney Cure. I did so and in four days I was able to go to work again, now I am entirely well."

Sold by **F. C. Duerson,**

The smoke nuisance—the fellow who borrows your cigars.

Worms take refuge in the small intestine, where they can easily multiply. White's Cream Vermifuge will destroy these parasites. The verdict of the people tells plainly how well it has succeeded. Price, 25 cents. Thos. Kennedy.

The widower who marries the second time is apt to realize that the good die young.

Tablet's Buckeye Pile Ointment has been thoroughly tested for many years, and is a positive cure for this most distressing and embarrassing of troubles. Price, 50 cents in bottles. Tubes, 75 cents. Thos. Kennedy.

The City of Pekin has only one street lamp.

J. W. Bryan, of Lowder, Ill., writes: "My little boy was very low with pneumonia. Unknown to the doctor we gave him Foley's Honey and Tar. The result was magical and puzzled the doctor, as it immediately stopped the hacking cough and he quickly recovered."

F. C. Duerson, druggist.

No man who makes a practice of kissing babies can be wholly unpopular.

C. W. Lynch, Winchester, Ind., writes: "I owe the life of my boy to Foley's Honey and Tar. He had membranous croup and the first dose gave him relief. We continued its use and it soon brought him out of danger."

F. C. Duerson, druggist.

The man who rides a hobby should be careful that it doesn't run away with him.

An attractive woman thrives on good food and sunshine, with plenty of exercise in the open air. Her form glows with health and her face beams with its beauty. When troubled with a costive habit, she takes a few doses of Herbine to cleanse her system of all impurities. Price, 50 cents. Thos. Kennedy.

How John W. Ross Came to His Death—His Funeral.

From the Liberty Tribune of November 29, published at Liberty, Mo., we take the following:

The funeral of John W. Ross, who died at Smithville from the injuries received in a runaway, was held there last Sunday morning at 10 o'clock, conducted by

Eld. P. V. Loos, in the Christian church, of which the deceased was a member. The remains were then brought here and interred in the New cemetery. There was a very large crowd at the cemetery. A large number of Odd Fellows and Woodmen accompanied the remains here and the interment was with honors of the two orders. Elder Loos made a brief talk at the grave and paid a high tribute to the noble qualities of the deceased.

Mr. Ross was 49 years of age. November 10. He was born in Fleming county, Ky., and has two brothers and one sister living. He came here from Mt. Sterling, Ky., seven years ago. About three years later he went to Smithville and had been manager of a hardware store there for W. B. Leach, of Keosauqua. The store has been a large business.

In the accident that cost Mr. Ross his life, Clay Berry, the driver of the wagonette, was unable to control the frightened horse, which he had broken. He jumped also. The last words Mr. Ross said were to his wife, telling her to jump for her life, as he held her arm and assisted her as best he could. Mrs. Ross was badly stunned by striking the ground, and when she regained consciousness no one had found them. She saw her husband lying on the ground, and on going to him found him breathing heavily. Friends soon arrived. It was about 8:30 at night. Mr. Ross was unconscious to his death.

John Ross was a man who found delight in doing things for the happiness of others, and was a very devoted and kind husband. He, in return, was blessed with a true and loving wife, and she has the sympathy of all in her great sorrow. Mrs. Ross will make her home here with her sister, Mrs. Homer Black.

Summer Coon.

Cracker Jacks

Now as we have our water works about completed in our sterling and prepared to squirt water in all kinds of shapes and quantities through out the city why not turn our attention to the street car business. We all no we are short of rolling stock in our city. Water works and street rail ways is the main things to start a town on a boom. I was talking to Mr. George Smith of win street on the subject a few days ago and he seemed to be intently in favor of it. Jim Tipton says he would be one of the first to vote for a line if it were to start from the depot and go to win street. He would be one of the first to come down in the city every day if their was street cars passing on his street.



street. I think myself it is most to hard on a big fat man like George to have to coon it all the way down town and back to and three times a week. I am pretty sure we would be in for it. It is no little job calling a horse to and three times a week on a cold day. We leave I will have an extra incentive called and bring the city duds to gettier and take a vote on the rolling stock question. I got acquainted with sum to or three ex-margu capitalist and after per taking of a few drinks of awe wine the street rail road subject was brought up. There were several long great delegates from Smithville present and this all seemed to be favorably suited on the progie. I was talking a little with ex senator Mike Han after the meeting. He was now president of the poltry road running from weesum to fort Jo Jo on cut throat river. he said all kinds of hissees is on the boom since the war supply come. we will have to be careful and not let the water on the stone spon that we use for making blue mud. sum of that blue stuff will war a war if it is not dry. that stuff ought to be baked on easy running spring wagons. them ruff road wagons shake and jare that sops stone all in to dust to bore the fig on the street. be careful don't get hard stone for piking purposes that would brake your little summer crusher all to pieces. do you see the pint captin, its no use talking we are in it now. we have a standard one hundred and fifty feet high chuck full of calamity water rite out of slate creek and

don't forget it we have one hundred pings cocked and primed a waiting army of assassins don't give us the sterling people out on nothing. I will make a little drop of eight thousand dollars in my bureau for the benefit of my friends. call and see me while I loose the notion, well by jack less follow the land wagon.

SUMMER COON.

An Ordinance

Repealing an ordinance by which the offices of Tax Collector and Treasurer of the City of Mt. Sterling are consolidated.

Be it ordained that the ordinance entitled an Ordinance consolidating the offices of Treasurer and Collector of the City of Mt. Sterling, Ky., and approved April 8, 1900, be and the same is hereby repealed.

This ordinance shall take effect from and after its passage and publication as required by law.

GEO. W. BAIRD, Mayor.
Attest: THOS. D. JONES, City Clerk.

AN ORDINANCE

Fixing the salaries of the Police Judge and Assessor of the City of Mt. Sterling, Ky.

Be it ordained by the Mayor and Board of Council of the City of Mt. Sterling, Ky., that the salary of the Police Judge of said City shall be \$900 per annum, payable in monthly installments out of the treasury of said City. That the salary of the Assessor of said City shall be \$250 per year, payable each year after the completion of his duties as such officer.

This ordinance shall take effect from and after its passage and publication as required by law and all ordinances or parts of same in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

GEO. W. BAIRD, Mayor.
Attest: THOS. D. JONES, Clerk.
December 8, 1901.

Where 'Tis?

Now that we have water works and it has been seen that they work to perfection, why not have some system alarm in case of fire? A person hearing the alarm as it is now never knows where the fire is. The writer stood in his yard Tuesday night until he was almost frozen trying to locate the fire. For instance a colored man was running out the Levee pike with half a dozen dogs and children, mixed, following him. Deputy Sheriff Jones, riding madly up Locust street. Superintendent Stephenson was rushing frantically around from "corner to corner," anxiously asked "where 'tis," while several people were on the top of a house, shouting all of them looking in different directions yelling "yonder 'tis."

We finally saw a light and got started and turned the wrong corner and when we got pretty close to the Grassy Lick pike we heard a man say the fire was out. If you run to the engine house, the chances are they have gone or are in the same fix as the above mentioned people. It is true we have no fire boxes, but until we do get them why not ring the number of the Ward?

James is the place if you want to buy a Christmas present that will last.

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Some Old Relics.

Col. John Cunningham, one of the "Noble Old Romans" of Bourbon county, has at his country home, "Rosedale," near Evesboro, a beautifully carved hardwood flax spinning wheel which has descended to him from its original owners of ninety years ago. The wheel was made by the great grandfather of Judge James Hazlriggs, ex-Chief Justice of the Court of Appeals, for Miss Mary Egan, then fifteen years of age. Miss Egan was the daughter of the wife of Senator John Cunningham, the present possessor of the wheel. Another interesting relic of the olden days is a clock made by Thomas and Marsell, of Paris, in 1828, and now owned by Mr. S. B. Ewalt, of Paris. "Uncle Sam" prizes the old time-piece very highly. It is nine feet in height, weighs 1500 lbs. and has the day of the month correctly. The clock had never been moved from the old Ewalt farm until recently, and had not been wound since the death of Mr. Ewalt's father, which occurred in 1874. A local jeweler went out to the farm, brought the clock to town and cleaned and repaired it. Since then it has kept time remarkably well. Every part of the mechanism is in perfect order. It was made by hand—Paris, (Ky.) News.

A black and white illustration of a woman in a long, flowing dress and a hat, standing and holding a cane. The dress has a high collar and a long, flared skirt. The hat is a wide-brimmed style with a ribbon. The woman is standing with one hand on her hip and the other holding a cane. The illustration is signed 'C.E.' at the bottom right.

IMPORTANT WARNING.

Seats for the BRONSON CO. will be selling at a premium after the parade Thursday. Spectators will have them in hand.

10c, 20c, 30c and 50c.

See "HELLO BILL,"
the funniest show on earth.

Seats on sale SATURDAY.
GRAND OPERA HOUSE,
FRIDAY, DECEMBER 20.

Christian Endeavor Work at State Prison.

Christian Endeavor and turkey dinner were the chief thoughts of the prisoners in the Frankfort penitentiary Thanksgiving Day.

State Christian Endeavor President, F. M. Tindler, Carlisle, Secretary of State Prison Committee, Miss Margaret Hoy Jones, of this city, with Endeavorers from Richmond, Paris and Lexington, joined the women and men in their Thanksgiving services. Prison Chaplain Lew G. Wallace, assisted Miss Jones in leading the meeting for the fifty-five women. There is not a nether, cleaner place in the state than the women's ward in the Frankfort prison. They have well learned the good lesson of "cleanliness" and the work of the Endeavorers is to teach them the higher lesson of "goodness."

President Tindler conducted the meeting for the men in the chapel. The building was decorated for the occasion in the C. E. National and State colors, red and white, purple and white, and was filled to the doors with eager, attentive listeners.

Prisoners are just as human as other people and are as capable of enjoying their few pleasures as outsiders. The prison choir is exceedingly good, and all the men sang from their hearts as well as their lips. The earnest talks and prayers of the visitors brought tears to many eyes.

Much good will be the result of that meeting, for a number promised to lead better lives, and many of them will be faithful.

The Frankfort prison is a small town of almost fourteen hundred people. In it you will find men from the oldest and best families of our State, men of high social rank, as well as the common thieves, and the mountaineer who has never been taught anything higher and better than moonshine and family feuds.

Christian Endeavor is making a marked change in the conduct of the prisoners.

One of the guards was heard to say that he could easily tell the difference between the Endeavorers and the other men in his shop. The Endeavorers were better, quiet and more willingly obedient prisoners.

The Prison officials very kindly and generously served a real Thanksgiving Dinner to the visitors. It was a novel experience. Thanks giving dinner within prison walls, with locked gates and behind iron bars.

The following were the Endeavor visitors: F. M. Tindler, Car-

FACTS and OBSERVATIONS

On a Trip to Morgan County,
Etc. Gloomy Religious
Outlook.

(Continued.)

Enroute to West Liberty we met Mr. J. B. Cecil and wife, of Ezel. He aspires to be Door-keeper of the Kentucky Senate. He is an excellent citizen. We do not know how well he stands in with the Senators, but wish him success.

Talk about gas and electricity for light, and yet you should see how brilliantly the fine coal in West Liberty was lighted by candle coal in the grave. The proprietor has his own team for hauling, so pays at the bank a few bushels for this fine coal, quickly lighted, free from soot, dispensing light and heat. Compare this with some other kind you have used.

J. H. Caraway, owner of the Morgan County Messenger Printery, has been in feeble health for some months. On this account he desires to lease his plant. He will give some reliable, sober man a bargain. Write to him for particulars.

SICK.

Mrs. Thomas, wife of the miller doctor, was sick and could not attend her services at church. We called. Mr. James Cole, proprietor of a hotel, was also sick.

We observed in Court that our friend, Finley E. Fogg, well known in Mt. Sterling, was interested in a majority of the cases called or tried.

Geo. F. Wilson, of Maytown, has moved to Slate creek, near the Nim Wills farm, having bought of Henry Parsons a small farm.

RELIGIOUS.

Rev. Greening, Methodist Circuit rider of the Hays Green-West Liberty Circuit, has left his charge and been transferred. The cause of his departure was his inability to raise sufficient money to pay expenses of bringing his family, household effects, buggy, cow, etc., to his new home.

Rev. Parsons, circuit rider of Northern Methodist Church, recently announced at Maytown where he came to preach, that he had been on his trip for 9 days and had collected for his services only 40 cents.

These facts, combined with our knowledge of prevailing conditions concerning payment of church dues in fulfillment of contracts, lead to serious thoughts. We deplore the indifference manifested by many Christians. Strange it is that they seem to think that a preacher can live on air and promises. We are disposed to doubt the genuineness of religious professions by those who do not cheerfully give of their substance for the support of those who are called to labor for the welfare of their flock.

On one of our trips we passed a church located on a mud road. The day was cold, the road very rough and indications pointed to a very small audience and discouragement for the preacher. While in front of the church we heard these words spoken in a loud tone. "It's an up hill business as shore as you live." We do not know to what he referred, but the sentiment is applicable to our subject.

Christians, in mountains and blue-grades, in city, town, village, country, weary with your selfishness and indifference—see that they who

preach the gospel live of the gospel.

MISCELLANEOUS.

We spent three hours at Caney and called at Cannel City, the terminus of railroad. A coal mine recently sold by a Mr. Williams (about 80 acres for \$7,000) has developed in a vein 6 feet 5 inches, (84 feet being fine canal, the balance semi-canal.) We saw a loaded car on the siding.

Reached Hazel Green about two hours after dark. Spent Sunday here. Went to Campton on Monday and returned at dark. County Court was in session. A Mrs. Wilson was adjudged of unsound mind and ordered for the second time to the asylum.

Shelby Canney, of Menefee county, bought the farm of Wm. Toliver, three miles below Hazel Green, for \$2,000 cash. Mr. Toliver will soon move to Louisiana.

On Tuesday at 10:30 on horseback over a muddy road and in an atmosphere not the most balmy, we started for McCansey. During the day we secured 9 new subscribers for our paper and have others "on the string."

On these rides we get pure, bracing, life-giving atmosphere—there is no stench from tobacco juice spit on steam pipes, such as we experienced in the "ladies' car" on the C. & O. to Lexington on last Thursday. If men will chew tobacco they should either swallow the amber, deposit it in a cup or rubber bag, prepared especially for such filth, or ride between the cars. This man was thoughtful.

Mrs. R. A. Sample, of Maytown, came on Wednesday to visit her daughters, the wives of E. B. May and his son, Dr. R. E. May.

Spent night at McCansey. Came home on train. On board were hunters, 10 dogs, 21 porridges, a rabbit, living opossum and some other passengers. We had been at home less than 5 hours during 13 days. Next day we went to Lexington. Good-bye.

In late years men have made fortunes out of the tailings of gold mines. The mills in which the ore formerly was crushed and the crude processes then in use allowed a large percentage of the precious metal to escape, and that loss amounted in some cases to a fortune. The stomach is just like a stamp mill in this respect, that when it is not in perfect order it allows the escape and waste of much of the precious nutriment contained in the food. That loss when continuous means the loss of man's greatest fortune—health. Science offers a remedy for this condition in Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It corrects the "weakness" of the stomach, prevents waste and loss of nourishment, and puts the stomach and organs of digestion and nutrition into a condition of health which enables them to save and assimilate all the nutriment contained in the food which is eaten. In all cases of constipation the use of Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets will speedily and permanently cure the disease.

On Saturday, Dec. 14, at Anti-Church, beginning at 12:30, an entertainment will be given by the Anti-Church school. Admission, 10c. Proceeds for benefit of the church.

Oldham Hardware Co. will take pleasure in showing their holiday goods whether you want to buy or not.

Lexington's Headquarters

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Holiday and Gift Goods

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Transylvania Company,

10 EAST MAIN STREET.

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Stationery, Books, Pictures,

Frames and Novelties.

We keep the Latest Things in

POPULAR FICTION

AT LOWEST PRICES.

Mail Orders Receive Prompt Attention.

LAND, STOCK AND CROP ITEMS.

H. P. Thomson sold to E. S. Cunningham 60 acres adjoining Thomson Station, Clark county, at \$85 per acre.

P. B. Turner has rented the Davis Orear farm near Spencer for \$1,050.

\$1.50 For 98c.

If we should offer \$1.50 in gold for 98c the gold supply would soon be exhausted, and so it would be with our \$1.50 shirts that we offer at 98c. They are as good as gold. PERCH & GATEWOOD.

Banks Liable.

The Commissioner of Internal Revenue has rendered a decision in which he holds that banks must return for tax on all capital, surplus, undivided profits and borrowed money used in the business of banking.

Before buying a lamp, see those beauties at a low price at Oldham Hardware Co's. 22-31

Ed. Mitchell, the Hardware Man, has the largest stock of English seal-porehine in Eastern Kentucky. It was imported direct and prices are right.

Call and see our line of plain gold and diamond lockets. 21-31 J. W. JONES.

Diamonds, diamonds, we have them all sizes to suit you. If you want anything of this kind now is the time to buy. J. W. JONES. 21-31

Josephines.

The Josephine Skirt is perfect in make. Price reasonable. The best in the city at this

NOVELTY STORE.

Boys' wagons and sleds at Oldham Hardware Co's. 52-31

Our line of turniture is very complete and the prices are very low. NITTO & HARRIS.

Lovers of high class entertainments must not miss the Lyric Ladies Concert Co.

CASTORIA.
The Kind You Have Always Bought
Bears the Signature of *Dr. H. H. Plummer*

DON'T TOBACCO SPLIT AND SMOKE

Your Lifeaway!
You can be cured of any form of tobacco splitting easily by making well, strong, magnetic, full of new life and vigor by taking **80-70-20**. This makes weak men strong. Many gain ten pounds in ten days. Over **50,000** bottles sold. Guaranteed. Address: **STERLING REMEDY CO.**, Chicago or New York.

A Card.

I take this method of manifesting my profound gratitude to the good people of Mt. Sterling for their kindness to me and mine during my troubles, to "Order of Railroad Conductors" for their interest and sympathy. It was truly beautiful and comforting.

Mrs. J. L. WOOD AND CHILDREN.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.
The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature of *Dr. H. H. Plummer*

Bargains Bargains!

The largest and most complete line of fine Chinese, Cut Glass and Bohemian Glassware ever brought to the city of Mt. Sterling. These goods were bought direct from an importer and were bought right, and are marked to sell at living prices. You are cordially invited to call and look through our stock.

Ed. MITCHELL,

The Hardware Man.

A cordial invitation is extended to all to visit our store, whether you buy or not.

CHEMICAL & OREAR

More Christmas Presents.

Hampers, wicker baskets, every thing in baskets worth having.

THE NOVELTY STORE.

A. O. U. W.

All members are requested to be present to-night. Business.

Yes,

You want black cake and other kinds of cake for the holidays. For all ingredients of these call on 22-31 D. W. BAUM.

For a nice Souvenir Plate go to Ed. Mitchell.

Frank Grigby sold to Jeptha Hunt, of Clark county, 17 cattle, weight 1088 lbs. at 4c.

CHRISTMAS PRESENTS! Think What USEFUL PRESENTS!

WE ARE HEADQUARTERS FOR SANTA CLAUS.

We are loaded from Cellar to Garret with Useful Holiday Presents.

Beautiful Smoking Jackets
from Alfred Benjamin & Co.
Beautiful Aqua-proof Rain Coats
from Alfred Benjamin & Co.
Beautiful Bathing Robes
from Alfred Benjamin & Co.
Beautiful Overcoats and Ulsters
from Alfred Benjamin & Co.

Beautiful Silk Umbrellas and Canes—Our own importation.
Beautiful Gloves of all kinds.
Fownes—the best in the world.
Beautiful line of Ladies' Trunks and Bags.

Beautiful line of Men's Leather Suit Cases and Bags.

Beautiful line of Neckwear, Mufflers, Suspender, Night Robes, Underwear, Socks, Handkerchiefs, Genuine McIntoshes, Rain Coats, etc. Just think what Useful Presents. We have the Largest Stock in Kentucky. Beautiful Boys' and Children's Sweaters. Beautiful Men's Caps. What a Beautiful Present one of those Dick Shyrock Suits made to order would be.

Louis & Straus,

DOORS OPEN EVERY NIGHT.

LEADING CLOTHIERS,

Lexington, Ky.

YOUTHFUL OFFENDER

Gets Fifty Lashes With a Rawhide For Carrying a Pistol.

A special from Owingville Nov. 28, says: The shooting of George Knox by Tip Pieratt has created a strong public sentiment against the carrying of pistols by boys, many of whom habitually carry some kind of deadly weapon. A fifteen-year-old son of John Pitt, near town, was charged with carrying a pistol in school and was convicted of it by Judge Lynch, and was sentenced to receive fifty lashes with a rawhide. His father was notified and given the option of whipping the boy according to sentence or having some one to do it. He did it, and did it well.

Small Fox Situation at Jackson. Jackson is full of smallpox. There were 65 cases at last report and General Manager J. R. Barr of the Lexington & Eastern Railroad if the State Board cannot meet the expenses of the fight on smallpox in that city the road will contribute \$1,000 toward the fund.

Green Snowden, one of the oldest and best known citizens of that section, died Thursday of the disease.

Widow Has Prior Claims to Husband's Remains.

In attempting a judgment of the Hardin Circuit Court the Court of Appeals ruled that the husband has the right in preference to the next of kin to select the place where the wife's remains shall be buried and that the wife has the like right to the husband's remains.

Mr. Clem Studebaker of South Bend, Ind., the wealthy manufacturer of the wagons which bear his name, is dead.

The Oldest and Best.

S. S. S. is a combination of roots and herbs of great curative powers, and when taken into the circulation searches out and removes all manner of poisons from the blood, without the least shock or harm to the system. On the contrary, the general health begins to improve from the first dose, for S. S. S. is not only a blood purifier, but an excellent tonic, and strengthens and builds up the constitution while purging the blood of impurities. S. S. S. cures all diseases of a blood poison origin. Cancer, Scrofula, Rheumatism, Chronic Sores and Ulcers, Eczema, Psoriasis, Salt Rheum, Herpes and similar troubles, and is an infallible cure and the only antidote for that no. 1 terrible disease, Contagious Blood Poison.

A record of nearly fifty years of successful cures is a record to be proud of. S. S. S. is more popular today than ever. It is the only medicine for the blood. Our medical correspondence is larger than ever in the history of the medicine. Many write to thank us for the good results S. S. S. has done them, while others are seeking advice about their cases. All letters receive prompt and careful attention. Our physicians have made a life-long study of blood and skin diseases, and better understand such cases than the ordinary practitioner who makes a specialty of no one disease.

We are doing great good in our suffering humanity through our consulting department and invite you to write us if you have any blood or skin trouble. We make no charge whatever for this service.

THE SWIFT SPECIFIC CO., ATLANTA, GA.

ARE YOU DEAF? ANY HEAD NOISES?

ALL CASES OF DEAFNESS OR HARD HEARING ARE NOW CURABLE.

HEAD NOISES CEASE IMMEDIATELY.

F. A. WERNER, OF BALTIMORE, MD.

YOU CAN CURE YOURSELF AT HOME.

INTERNATIONAL AURAL CLING, 596 LA SALLE AVE., CHICAGO, ILL.

Exposure

To cold and stormy weather opens the way to an attack of bronchitis. The man on the wagon, he he farmer, milkman or truckman, needs to pay special heed to the first symptoms of weakness or disease of the organs of respiration.

The use of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery will cure bronchitis, deep-seated coughs, bleeding of the lungs, and other conditions which if neglected or unduly treated terminate fatally in consumption.

There is no alcohol in the "Discovery," and it is entirely free from opium, cocaine and other narcotics.

For seven years I have been treated with what the doctors called "bronchitis," writes Mr. Arthur Maize (general merchant) of Niles town, Middlesex Co., with a severe attack, I began using Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, and in a few days I was able to resume my work. I am now well and feel the bronchitis trouble at large. I am now well and feel the bronchitis trouble at large. I am now well and feel the bronchitis trouble at large.

Dr. Pierce's Common Sense Medical Advice, paper-bound, is sent free on receipt of 41 one-cent stamps, to pay expense of mailing only, or 34 stamps for the book in cloth binding. Address Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y.

The First Bite Off the Bat.

Thomas P. Watts, the Louisville man who signed an agreement to eat his straw hat in case the Republican ticket was defeated in Louisville, has come to the conclusion that his digestive capacity is hardly equal to a whole straw hat, so he has decided to follow the plan originated by the man who ate a bird every day. Friday morning he took his first bite out of the now-celebrated straw hat, with no serious results. The bite was taken in the presence of a reporter. It will take about 100 bites to dispose of the hat. He has confidence in his ability to accomplish the feat.

Much interesting comment has been made on the novel agreement. The many friends of Mr. Watts in various parts of this country and Canada are sending him various newspaper clippings bearing on the matter. A Montreal paper contained the following paragraph: "A Louisville man is to eat a straw hat to pay an election bet. Any Jackass could do that."

Mr. Watts received a postal card from another friend in Canada. The address was as follows: "Thomas P. Watts, Esq., Louisville, Ky. The Great American Straw Hat Eater."

The foreign papers are having lots of fun out of the incident. A French journal headed in account of the fact with "Une Affaire Stupide," while a German paper by their headline, "Ein Strohhutesser."

Foley's Honey and Tar for children, safe, sure. No opiates.

President Roosevelt has granted a concession to the Port America Company to build two railroads in Porto Rico to run in different directions out of San Juan.

THE PICK

Of all the Eastern and Western cities, including New York and Chicago, is represented in the Beautiful New Stock that is coming daily at the

Busy Bee Cash Store,

And every preparation is being made for a Great Fall Business.

The buyers for our four large stores have returned from the Eastern markets and the transfer wagons are kept unloading the boxes and bales of

New Fall Goods.

The new fall and winter fabrics are more beautiful this season than ever before, and it will be the policy of the Busy Bee Cash Store corporation to hammer prices down so low that competition will be lost sight of. We buy for cash, we sell for cash and this alone enables us to offer values that will be new to the people in our city and county. Anybody may hire newspaper space and appeal to the eye with showy advertisements, and everyone, however, can reap the benefit of type is impressive, and expensive, but it is the doing and not the saying that counts in the long run. We are the pioneers of low prices in this city and it shall be our aim this fall to fight high prices, and old-time ways of doing business with the tenacity of blood-hounds and give to our customers a harvest of rich bargains that will be long remembered.

Mens' Furnishing Goods, Etc.

We are naming prices on mens' furnishing goods, shirts, collars, neckwear, hosiery, handkerchiefs, gloves, suspenders, etc., that looks like we are giving them away. Come and get your share.



CLOTHING

And now for the Clothing. Here is where we "knock em out." Competition is bound to take a back seat when they butt up against our clothing stock. Our buyers went up against the clothing market just like there never would be any more clothing to buy, but they couldn't help it. They made offers for stack upon stack of clothing for cash down and their offers were accepted.

We have the clothing bought at our own prices. You get it for just about half what it would cost to have it in regular houses. Men's, Boys', Youths and Children's nobby fall suits, overcoats, odd pants, odd vests, odd coats, and everything to be had in a first-class clothing house are being shown in this



ASK TO SEE

Our Special

Long Kersey Cloak,

No. 174-42 Inches Long.

This Cloak we are showing in Black, Red, Oxford, Castor and Brown. This Cloak will be offered at a Special Inducement at \$12.50 for the people who could not attend our opening.

We are also showing a complete line of cloaks for Ladies and Children in the Newest and Best Styles.

42-INCH KERSEY CLOAK SPECIAL PRICE, \$12.50.

department. Our children's suits from 98c up to our elegant suits are creating quite a sensation. Our men's cassimere suits at \$2.98 are as good as can be bought for \$5 and \$6 elsewhere. Our boys' suits for men and boys, prices from \$2, \$3.50 and \$12.50 are worth double the price asked for them. Our prices on all overcoats will be a treat to everybody. Call and see them.

Shoes, Shoes, Boots, Boots

Never before have we been able to offer such value. S. Our buyers have certainly made their money talk in buying this stock of boots and shoes. We are offering good solid boots and shoes for fall and winter wear at absolutely less than they can be manufactured for. Money talks in buying shoes. Lot after lot were picked out by our shrewd buyers and cold cash planked down for them until we had all and more two than our stores could hold. Come and "Boot up" and "Shoe up" your entire family with less

money than it will cost to buy a pair or two elsewhere. We offer no shoddy stuff, our goods are reliable and up-to-date, first-class stuff or money refunded with each and every shoddy pair purchased from



Exact reproduction of this style shoe.

The very best manufacturers are represented in our stock of shoes. We are showing ladies heavy, coarse and fine shoes, men's work shoes, men's medium and fine shoes, boys' and men's coarse and fine boots, children's shoes of all kinds, and all go at prices that is a death blow to competitors.

Dress Goods, Silks and Trimmings.

We are showing all the new fabrics in dress goods that are in favor this season. All colors and blacks are represented in our dress goods department, every weave from plain and figured Jaquard to the finest imported Kerseys. Our Goff goods and heavy weight stuff for Pedestrian skirts will be the talk of the town. You can buy nice woolen dress goods from us as low as 14c per yard, on up to high class stuff worth \$3, \$4 and \$5 per yard. Come early and take your pick.

Our Silks, Dress Trimmings and Velvets.

are marvels of beauty. All colors in Taffeta Silks, good quality as low as 49c per yard. Our Dress Trimmings are brand new. No dress is stylish if the trimmings are old style. See our line and get the proper things in Dress Trimmings.

Blankets and Comforts

are piled mountain high on our tables and counters. Never was such value offered as we are giving in this department. All wool to 12 and 14 fine blankets are being sold at the price formerly paid for low priced stuff. We are selling good 10-12 size white blankets and gray blankets with beautiful blue, pink and red borders for 49c each. Our comforts run in price from 49c to \$4.98. Our 4c comfort is a hummer, good size and good quality. You will be shown beautiful patterns in French sixteen counters and Eiderdowns. We can set you up for housekeeping in this department. Blankets, comforts, sheets, pillow cases, white spreads can be had here. Call and see them.

OLDHAM BROTHERS & CO., Mt. Sterling, Kentucky.

<p>Got Ready.</p> <p>The Water Company will soon be turning on water, and you must be prepared to have it in your residences for all purposes. John Feehan expects to keep on hands a fine supply of bath tubs, water pipes, etc., and is prepared to do all kinds of plumbing. He guarantees to do only first-class work and will furnish first-class material. If any housekeeper contemplates putting in water fixtures, you should consult Mr. Feehan before you contract for the work. He reminds the public that he is ready on short notice to do the roofing, guttering, filtering, etc.</p>	<p>Watch the Dates.</p> <p>The Lyric Ladies Quintette Concert Co. of Chicago, an attraction of the highest excellence, and Eliza Day, the best Characterist before the public, are the next attractions offered by the Lecture Association. Their dates are in January.</p>	<p>For Rent.</p> <p>A farm of 104 acres with improvements, one mile east of Sideview on the Sideview and Aaron's Run pike. For further information call on or address Mrs. S. T. Garuca, Mt. Sterling, Ky.</p>	<p>If you want any insurance or want to buy houses and lots in Mt. Sterling, Ky., call on or address JORIAN DAVIS, Mt. Sterling, Ky.</p>
<p>For Rent.</p> <p>House of about six rooms and all necessary outbuildings, on North Mayview street. Apply to R. D. WILSON.</p>	<p>For Rent.</p> <p>We have the finest line of umbrellas ever in the city. J. W. JONES.</p>	<p>For Sale or Rent.</p> <p>A suburban residence and five acres of land—also a small farm on Levee pike. Apply to Mrs. JULIA EVANS.</p>	<p>W. H. Lewis, who was elected to the Massachusetts Legislature from Cambridge on the Republican ticket by a majority of 118 votes, is a negro and head coach of the Harvard football team.</p>

